ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ನಾರಾಯಣ ಗೌಡ.—ಹಾಗಾದರೆ ಈ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರು ಸಹಕರಿಸಿ ಈ ರೀತಿ illicit cutting ಆಗುತ್ತಿರುವುದನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ತಂದರೆ ಅವರ ಮೇಲೆ ಸೂಕ್ತ ಕ್ರಮ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

ಡಾ॥ ಆರ್. ನಾಗನ್ ಗೌಡ.—ಅಗತ್ಯವಾಗಿ, ಈ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ public co-operation ಇದ್ದಹ್ಹೂ ಇದನ್ನು ತಡೆಗಟ್ಟಲು ಸಹಕಾರಿಯಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

Failure of Crops on account of excess rainfall in Sorab and Shikaripur Taluks.

Q.—112. Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA (Honnali).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they are aware that in some parts of Sorab and Shikaripur Taluks crops have been spoilt on account of excess of rainfall ;

(*b*) if so, in how many villages the crops have been affected and to what extent ;

(*c*) whether they have taken steps to give them suitable relief ?

A.—Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*) Yes.
(*b*) 50 to 75 villages.
(*c*) Yes.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—May I take it from the answer to (*b*) that they have not conducted survey as yet ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—The answer is clear.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—My question was, in how many villages the crops have been affected ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—50 to 75 villages.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—Does that give a correct answer ? I asked specifically the number of villages affected ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—It has already been replied : 50 to 75 villages.

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—In some villages there have been crops. It is not the exact figure ; that can be given later on if the member requires.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—Who has conducted the survey—the Agricultural Department or the Revenue Department ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—For this department, I got information from the Agricultural Department.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—Is it possible to conduct survey after the harvest ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Oh ! no. It is done before. As a matter of fact, in the answer to question (*c*) as to whether the Government have taken steps to give them suitable relief, we have replied ' Yes ' ; that means that some steps have been taken. As a matter of fact, even during the time when paddy crop was affected, the Agricultural Department took considerable pains to help the cultivators. They gave them seed and also the service of jeeps and vans to transport things. So they were not waiting for the harvest to find out what has happened.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—I am also aware of the help given by the Agricultural Department. But what I want to know is, if they had not conducted the survey in time regarding the failure of crops, is it possible to give them any relief ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—I think the Revenue Department would have the accounts exactly of what the yield is in these villages, because later on when a question of remission of land revenue or suspension of collection of revenue arises, the department will have to state exactly what the yield is by reference to their accounts.

Acquisition Records pending disposal since 1947.

Q.—272. Sri B. T. KEMPA RAJ (Bangalore South-Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of acquisition records pending since 1947 ;

(*b*) the number of records pending in each Amildar's Office since 1947 (the villagewar statement with reasons may be furnished) ;

(*c*) the number of records pending in S. D. Offices since 1947 (the names of villages with reasons for pendency may be furnished) ;